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NAVAL BILL REJECTED; ARMY BILL PASSED BY

Appropriation of 267 Millions for Land Forces Meets with Entire Accord, but Lower House Balks on Naval Program of Building Eight Capital Ships in 1917. Naval Enlistments Also Unfavored.

PRESIDENT WILSON MUST USE WHIP HAND AGAIN TO SAVE PREPAREDNESS FROM DEFEAT

Army Bill Contains 13 Millions for Aviation, Two Millions for Families of Guardsmen and Enlisted Men, and Big Sums for Munitions, Along With Big Sums for National Guards.

(By Review Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7 .- National defense legislation in congress is nearing completion. Today the conference committee on the army appropriation bill submitted a complete agreement and the conferees on the naval bill voted to disagree on the big construction program and personnel increases the only remaining points of dispute in that measure, so that the issues might be referred back for uick settlement by the two houses.

President Wilson, navy department officials and other adequate defense champions of the administration, are expected to make a determined effort to induce house leaders to yield to the senate program for construction of 66 vessels, eight of them to be capital ships, during 1917. The house provided for only five capital ships. If it votes to insits on its original provisions, it is said the senate conferees will offer to give up the three-year continuing plan in the senate bill as an inducement to house leaders to reconsider and accept the big program for the first year.

Score of Shots from South of

Rio Grande Coming Whiz-

zing by U. S. Outposts

About two hours after the firing.

outposts stationed a mile further

down the river sent in word that they

The Massachusetts commands on

guard duty along this section checked

EL PASO, Aug. 7 .- A still later re-

tory came from American patrols, this

had said today that he was sending

LOSE AFTURED TRENCHES

(By Review Leased Wire)

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Determined at

RUSS THREATEN TARNOPOL

LONDON, Aug. 7.-A Reuter de-

"Their successes to the south of

spatch from Petrograd says:

Naval Elistments

Agreement was reached by the con-ferees on administrative features of MEXICANS FIRE the personnel section, but they could not get together on the question of the increases in the enlisted tsrength. The administration is anxious that tell larger senate authorizations in this section also be accepted. The senate provided for a total enlisted strength of 74 00 and the house for only

Naval Selection System Secretary Daniels' plan for promotion of navy officers by selection in- twenty shots were fired tonight on try into twelve land bank districts stead of by seniority was accepted, the Mexican side of the border, which with a federal land bank in each. but was so amended that it would seemed to be simed at an American not apply to officers lower than the out post just outside the city limits, rank of commander. Provision is made according to a report made to military for a board of nine admirals to pass headquarters by Lieutenant H. B. executive head of the board. The oath on promotions and six must agree in Lewis, commanding the provost guard. of ofice was administered to Mr. Noreach case. It also was agreed that Officers are now investigating also irs and C. E. Lobdell, Herbert Quick captains who are not promoted before a statement by a woman living in that and W. S. A. Smith, the other apreaching the age of 57 shall be retired neighborhood that late this afternoon pointive members in the office of Sec- point along the Maine coast was ing the afternoon a thick for moved and that commanders not promoted she saw two men, obviously American retary McAdoo, who is ex-officio mem-, Watched sharply today and tonight in from the sea, and made extended

raised the general retiring age limit river. from 62 to 64. Senator Chamberlain will call up claim any knowledge of the incident. the army appropriation report in the senate tomorrow. The bill, as agreed on, carried \$267,597,000, or \$85,000,port had been delayed several days had just heard five shots on the Mexi-000 in excess of the house bill. A rewhile the war department made an can side, but could not say whether unsuccessful effort to induce the they were aimed at the American side. house conferees to recede from the insistence on the Hay amendment, making retired officers exempt from up their men tonight and accounted

provisions of the military code. Among the big army appropriations men being stationed here, some of

ficers of the line, \$1/A00,000; trans- said it would be difficult to get at and went over the application and recportation, \$23,000,000; clothing, \$28. the truth of the Mexican woman's ommendations of forty cities for fed-280,000; subsistence, \$20,000,000; ord-statement that two American sol-eral loan banks. No route for the trip nance stores and ammunition, \$10, diers crossed the line. 000,000, of which \$5,000,000 shall be expended for purchase of munitions, facturing; ordnance stores and sup- port of rifle shots on Mexican terriplies, \$9,500,000; armed motor cars, \$500,000, reduced from \$1,000,000; field time to the wes; instead of the east artillery and ammunitions for nation- of El Paso. Several shots were fired. al guard. \$29,000,000, reduced from Although the officers at the Juarez \$28,200,000; for automatic machine beadonarters professed to know nothrifles, \$12,000,000, reduced from \$15,- ing of the firing, General Gonzales 000.000

Plattsburg, the bill appropriates \$2, from the Tames band, said to be re-000,000, a reduction from \$4,300,000. | turning afoot to Juarez with a view

A \$2,000,000 appropriation is includ- to surrender. ed in the biti for relief of dependent families of guardsmen and enlisted GERMANS AT POZIERS

COOLER IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.-Showers and tacks on the British lines north and cooler weather arrived in hicago and northeast of Pozieres this morning vicinity tought and I nan hour and were repulsed, according to the Brita half the mercury dropped eight de- ish lines at one or two places, but grees. Although the temperature were driven out reached 96 degrees at 4 p. m., no, deaths were reported.

GERMAN LINES AT

SOMME WON BY FRENCH PARIS. Aug. 7.-Late today the French troops captured a line of Ger- Brody brings the Russians within man trenches between Helm Wood fourteen miles of the Tarnopol-Lemand Somme, according to the official berg railway. It is reported that the statement issued by the war office Austrian forces at Tarnopol already gress south of the Thiaumont work, choff."

HARVARD MILITIA WONT MUSTER OUT

EL PASO, Aug. 7 .- Battery A * of the Massachusetts National * * Guard, known as the "Millionaire * * Battery," today declined the war * * department's offer mustering out * * student companies and voted to * * remain on the border until the * * state troops are sent home.

Every soldier in Battery A is * a Harvard man except one, who * comes from Princeton. The de- # partment's order relative to units . composed of students becomes ef- * fective on September 1.

BOARD TAKES OATH OF

George W. Norris Heads Men Named by Wilson to Run Government's New Rural Credits System.

40 CITIES APPLY FOR LOAN BANKS

Twelve Districts With Bank in Each to be Created. McAdoo Hails System as Farme Hope.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7 .- Organizaion of the new farm loan board which is to administer the new rural credit system, was perfected ehre today with the induction into office of its four appointive members, the designation by President Wilson of an executive head and the selection of a secretary. The board will meet again tomorrow to consider how it may be best to ob tain information on which to make a EL PASO, Aug. 7.-From fifteen to report on work, division of the coun-

Board's Personnel President Wilson name dGeorge W. Norris as farm loan commissioner or be retired at 45 and Heutenant com- soldiers, cross into the small piece of ber and chairman, Mr. McAdoo made for two submarines believed to be observations impossible. manders at 40. The conferees also Mexican territory lying north of the a brief speech pointing out that the foreign vessels and possibly the long The navy department announced Mexican military authorities dis- tion to provide financial aid for farm- men and a consort. ers on long time and easy terms enacted since the foundation of the gov- four miles off Cross Island, near Ma- that no British submarines were ernment and declarig it meant more chias, and close to Canadian waters cruising in these water seem to cre-

in conseuence for everybody else. Flannagan, of Montclaire, N. J., was bear out the emphatic declaration her type. chosen secretary of the board. Mr. from that station that they were unfor all. Owing to thirty thousand ent law.

To Visit Pacific

For aviation \$13,291,666; pay for of- short leave, the military authorities erary for its trip to the Pacific coast TUG TIMMINS IS was determiend on, but it is probable the board will go west through northern states and return to Washington held in Washington also.

GERRIGAN KILLED HAVING

picture taken in action.

AFTERMATH OF NEW YORK'S EXPLOSION



Peter Raceta in hospital; three-inch shells found mile and a half frem scene of explosion.

Raceta was captain of a small vessel which was destroyed when the terrific explosion of ammunition on Black Tom island shook New York last Sunday. His escape was miraculous. The fittle girl shown in the lower parture discovered those shells, intended for the allies, a mile and a half from the scene of the explosion,

New German Submarine

(By Review Leasew Wire.)

farm loan act was the first legisla- expected German merchantman Bre- that no American submersibles were

prosperity for the farmer and more today, by a coast guard lookout, but ate the impression that the subma-At a short session afterward W. W. no word had reached here tonight to rines are the Bremen and another of whom are on detached duty or on | The board also discussed the itin. British navel auxiliaries had no in- submarines.

RENAMED "HANSA" (By Review Leased Wire)

BALTIMORE, Aug. 5 .- The tug WASHINGTON, Aug. 7 .- Republithomas F. Timmins, which figured so can Leader Mann reminded the through the south. Hearings will be extensively in the arrival and depar- House today that Speaker Clark had ture of the submarine Deutschland, is just passed his thirty-third anniver- try were considered at the conference to have its name changed to the gary as a member of Congress, Re-Hansa. The Hansa is expected to publicans and Democrats rose and HIS PICTURE TAKEN. figure in further submarine enter cheered the speaker for several min-SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 7.-James prizes. At her pier today, a farm Gerrigan, one time racing partner of wagon unbaded a quentity of provi-Tobin Dependel was killed just outside sions which were taken abound the was not sure he wanted to remain in the city this afternoon while speeding Timmins. One of the crew said the the House another 33 years, but did 4, to speak at Lincoln Memorial exer-For training camps, such as at our men to take the three deserters his automobile up a hill to have his tug was just "going after some know he wanted to stay as long as barges."

formation regarding the presence o PORTLAND, Maine, Aug. 7.-Every | the submarines in these waters. Dur-

off the Maine cooast.

The strange vessels were reported | Information from reliable sources

Flannagan has been secretary of the der sea craft and were proceeding at the coast guard erew, might have seen commission which investigated rural top speed toward the west. The vigil the Deutschland, driven out of her credits in Europe and drafted the pres- slong the coas; extended as far east course, or else sticking closely to no date was set for the notification can't have that pride if American citias Halifax, N. S., and St. John, N. B., shore. Captains of incoming craft reboth of which ports reported that ported that they had not seen any

> CHAMP CLARK CHEERED FOR 33 YEARS IN CONGRESS.

(By Review Leased Wirs.

BERLIN, Aug. 7 .- The royal

HOW TO MAKE PAPER

OF COTTON STALKS

GERMAN DISCOVERS

material testing office at Gross-Lichterfelde, a suburb of Berlin announces the interesting discovery that paper can be manu-* factured from cotton stalks. The * discovery is not considered of * much importance for Germany * which produces no cotton but is * pointed to as of vast importance * to the United States, the great- * * est producer of coton in the * * world, because of the shortage of * paper in that country.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.-Lincoln * * B. Palmer, manager of the Amer. * * ican Newspaper Publishers' As- * * sociat.on, said tonight that al- * * though private and governmental * * latoratories had been seeking * * for years to find a suitable substi- * * tute for wood pulp in the manu- * facture of paper, nothing had as * yet been produced that would * * stand the test.

"If the Germans have solved * the problem," he said, "they will * have rendered the United States * a valuable service, and it ought * * to bring millions to the inventor * * of the process. The discovery, * * if true, should prove a boon to * * the paper manufacturing indus * * try in this country."

LAUNCH THEIR CAMPAIGN

President Is to Hurl Many Speakers into Republican States, and Not Concede Anything to G. O. P.

GOING AFTER VOTES

Queer. Campaign to be Hot stick to it

(By Review Leased Wire.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 7 .- A decision to launch the Democratic national

campaign soon after September 1 regardless of whether Congress is still in session then was reached at a conference today between President Wiland Homer S. Cummings, the committee's vice chairman.

said tonight that if Congress remained worthy of protection this wide world

Under such circumstances the presfor the occasion, and return immediately afterwards to Washington

Invitations sent to the President to to speak in Various parts of the coun-

Mr. Wilson will make no definite engagements, however, until a date for the adjournment of Congress is agreed on. He already has promised to go to Hodgensville, Ky., September cises and he made a tentative enga-19, 20 or 21, to address an organiza- surgeon. tion of underwriters. The Hodgensville speech, however, will be of a non-political character.

Chairman McCormick said he planned to have the Democratic campaign in full swing by September 15. Mr. Commings, who is chairman of the speakers' bureau at Democratic naing of the speakers. It was definitely not speak in Maine, where the elecways take part in the campaign

Bryan to Stump. William Jennings Bryan, Mr. Cum- assailed. bombed, the aerial offensive being one drum at very close range and the mines said, probably cannot take part The work of the British aviators re- limited only by the number of planes Fokker nose-divide and went down in the Maine campaign, but will make (Continued on Page Two.)

WILSON'S

"I Haven't the Slightest Militaristic Spirit but if Elected I'll Protect Americans in Mexico."

G. O. P. LEADER HAS **BUSY DAY AT DETROIT**

'American Rights Stop at the Coast Line" Says Nominee in Scathing Denunciation of Foreign Policy.

(By Review Leased Wire.) DETROIT, Aug. 7.-Charles E. Hughes, in the first set speech of his trans-continental trip, tonight assailed the administration vigorously for its foreign policy, its Mexican policy, for appointing men whom he termed inexperienced to diplomatic posts, and for what he characterized as a "raid upon the civil service of the United

Was War at Vera Cruz "He kept us out of war," Mr. Hughes said, referring to the president and Democratic slogan. "Yet he seized Vera Cruz. That was a war-very ignoble war. And it was called war over the bodies of those dead soldiers: it was called a war of service.

Wilson Like Butterfly

"Talk about what is your policy. What is the president's policy-does anyone know? Has the executive ever had a policy for more than six months on the Mexican question? I repeat, OF SUFFRAGETTES who knows today what the policy of the administration will be three months hence? Mr friends, the trouble Believed Near Maine Even Bryan Will Get Active is that this administration has written for President He Tried to says you do not know whether it will

Ashamed of Wilson

"We have had an exhibition during the past three years, which, I confess, fills me with a deep sense of shame. I have not a particle of milltaristic spirit in my system, but if I am elected president I will see to it that American rights in Mexico are respected."

Mr. Hughes assailed the administrason. Vance C. McCormick, chairman tion's course toward upholding Amerof the Democratic national committee | ican rights abroad during the European war.

The two Democratic leaders took "When I say that I am an American lunch with the president, and remain- citizen," the nominee said, "I ought ed with him four hours going over to say the proudest thing that any minutely the campaign plans. While man can say in this world. But you in session after September I, notifica- over. There is no man who could tion might take place before adjourn- successfully present to an American the platform that an American citizen's rights stop at the coast line, ident will so to Shadow Lawn, N. J., that beyond that American life is to be the prey of any marauder that chooses to take it."

Civil Service Invaded The neminee cited the Republican

paltform declaration that 30,000 govnment positions had been taken from the operation of the civil service law during the present administration and declared that "that sort of thing has got to stop." He told of an instance where, he said, "an eminent scientist in the coast and geodetic survey," a man of very eminent rank, had been "displaced to make room for an exgement to visit St. Louis, September cellent stock breeder and veterinarian

Appointments Challenged It was "inecusable," Mr. Hughes as-

serted, for the administration to take out in country after country in Latin America, where we have frequently said we desired to cultivate the most friendly relations, "men in the diplomatic service," who had represented of the progress made in the assign- quired an admirable and important experience and put in men inexperidetermined that the President would enced." Past administrations," he said, "had sinned in that particular tion comes September 11, but he prob- but standards were being made and ably will write letters and in other there were men in our service of long experience and fine training." Other appointments by the president were

Raps Cabinet "If we are to have a secretary of

many speeches later. An itinerary state," Mr. Hughes declared, "we want a man who will stand before the (Continued on Page 2)

Dozen Aviators To a Side Now Often "Mix It" In Skies 9000 Feet Above the Battlefields

(By Review Leased Wire.)

shower of 112 pound bombs.

When the German sheds and store- battle on either side. a height of 8000 feet.

cently has surpassed the wildest and the supply of bombs. Not a vil- with a spin. which attract general attention are neighborhood of the front that has would have been a 'crasher.'

FRANCE, Aug. 7 .- (Via London) - planes are concentrated on the nar- have been set on fire: one moving The aviators felt the concussion 9,000 raw front of the Somme battle in co-train was blown up. feet in the air today when a brigade ordination with a superior volume of The dry official accounts of the of British aeroplanes bombarded Hen- gun fire. The planes move in larger aviation corps and their aviators rein Litarde, (northeast of Arras) with and larger flotillas and there have veal a number of amazing feats every been cases with a dozen engaged in day. A pilot describes an experience

only an incident of the offensive came not its serial bombardment, according WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN paign Overwhelming numbers of to accounts. Barges and motor trucks tional headquarters told the President the country with credit and had ac-

thus: houses at Martinpuich were fired by The German first line and second "I first attacked a Roland, but findincendiary bombs a vast pillar of line trenches, headquarters billets and ing a Fokker behind turned and smoke from the conflagration close to supply depots of all kinds have been maneuvered under his left. He fired

tonight. They also made some pro- are retiring in the direction of Zlo- flights of imagination. Aerial flights lage occupied by the Germans in the "If it had gone down direct, it has not yet been arranged for him.